

## NOTICE OF ROCK COUNTY SCHOOL LAND LEASE SALE

Notice is hereby given that an authorized representative of the Board of Educational Lands and Funds of the State of Nebraska will offer for lease at public auction on the day and time set forth below, at the office of the County Treasurer of Rock County in Bassett, Nebraska, the following educational lands within said County:

DATE: November 19, 2013

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

In the event of inclement weather and/or bad roads, the Board's Field Representative may postpone the sale until December 3, 2013, at 1:00 p.m. If this occurs, the County Treasurer and the Board's Lincoln Office will both be notified at least 90 minutes prior to the originally scheduled sale time.

<u>TRACT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>SEC.TWP.RGE</u>	<u>2014 RENTAL</u>	<u>LEASE EXPIRATION</u>
5	All (640 acres, more or less)	16-27-17	\$12,859.42	December 31, 2021

Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 8 miles east of Twin Lakes.

Improvements to be sold include: 890 rods of fence, stockwell, pipe, rod and cylinder, tower, mill and tank.

Total Value: \$6,700.00

The 240 rods of interior fence and road culvert are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

6	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-27-17	\$13,524.92	December 31, 2021
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 20 miles northeast of Rose, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 400 rods of fence. Total Value: \$1,500.00

The mill, tower and tank are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

The 2 stockwells are owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

7	All (640 acres, more or less)	16-28-17	\$11,080.02	December 31, 2021
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 13 miles south of Newport, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 320 rods of fence. Total Value: \$3,500.00

The 640 rods of electric fence, submersible pump, solar panels, bottomless tank and 160 rods of 3 barbed-wire fence on the south line are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

The stockwell is owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

47	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-31-19	\$26,581.80	December 31, 2021
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 3 miles east and 2 miles north of Bassett, NE.

Trust Owned Improvements to be Sold: 2,140 rods of fence, 4 stockwells, 2 mills, 2 towers and 5 tanks. Total Value: \$6,000.00

The steel gates and panels are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

All other improvements not listed are also Trust Owned and all right, title and interest shall remain with them.

STIPULATION: The NE4, W2SE4 and the meadow acres in the NE4SE4 must be cut for hay each year of the lease. Grazing on these acres will be limited to use of the "aftergrass". The Board may at any time require that Lessee annually submit a written plan satisfactory to the Board for use of all grassland, specifying stocking rates and grazing dates which must be approved in writing by the Board prior to the commencement of grazing each year and shall be followed by Lessee. The former Lessee, Dustin Lewis, is the owner of alfalfa and native hay bales currently stored on the lease. Mr. Lewis will remove the bales by March 1, 2014.

53	All (640 acres, more or less)	16-27-20	\$11,133.70	December 31, 2021
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland  
This tract is located 18 miles south of Long Pine, NE.  
Improvements to be sold include: 160 rods of fence and stockwell. Total Value: \$1,950.00  
The 680 rods of interior fence, mill, tower and tank are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.  
STIPULATION: The Board will supply the chemicals necessary to treat the noxious weeds on all of the grassland covered by this Lease and provide detailed instructions for the chemical application. Lessee will furnish, at Lessee's sole and exclusive cost and expense, all labor and equipment necessary to apply the chemicals and will apply the chemicals timely and in exact accordance with the instructions provided by the Board. Lessee will also effectively control the noxious weeds on any cropland covered by this Lease at Lessee's sole and exclusive cost and expense and to the Board's satisfaction at all times during the term of this Lease. When necessary to apply the recommended chemical, the Lessee will provide a NE Department of Agriculture Pesticide Applicator ID number or contract with a commercial applicator to apply the chemical at Lessee's expense.

In order for anyone to be eligible to bid on a school land lease, they must be able to contract in accordance with Nebraska Law and have deposited with the County Treasurer of the County in which the land is located, or with a representative of the Board, a bank draft, cashier's check, certified check or money order made payable to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds, or cash, equivalent to the 2014 rental of said tract. Said rental deposit may be submitted at any time until the tract is announced "Sold".

If more than one qualified bidder is interested in a lease, it will be sold to the party bidding the highest cash bonus, in addition to the first year's rent, at the auction. Bonus bids must be paid to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds immediately following the auction. Bonus bids are a one-time payment which covers the entire term of the lease.

All sales of educational land leases at public auction are considered to be non-revocable offers, which shall become binding contracts only upon acceptance and approval following the sale by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. Leases will be effective January 1, 2014, or upon acceptance and approval by the Board, whichever occurs later.

Leases will be issued only to those who sign the "Lease and Application" in person or through an Attorney-In-Fact who presents a Power of Attorney at the time of the auction. A sample Power of Attorney is available on the Board's website. Lease assignments submitted to the Board within 30 days of the auction will be processed without fee. The Board's standard form lease sets out the terms of the lease of the real estate to which this notice pertains; provided, however, any additional stipulations pertaining specifically to this real estate, which are included in this notice, shall be added to and become a part of the complete terms of the lease pertaining to this real estate. The Board's standard form lease may be inspected at the County Treasurer's office or on the Board's website and a copy, which includes any additional stipulations pertaining to this real estate, can be obtained by contacting the Board's Lincoln office or the Field Representative for this county named above.

The purchaser shall, within thirty days of the date of Board approval, pay the amount of the value of the improvements (and growing crops, if applicable) as stated above, to the County Treasurer of the County wherein the land is situated. If such payment is not made on time and in full, all payments made by the purchaser to the Board may be declared forfeited and a new lease or sale of the land may be authorized. All improvements affixed to the land which are not listed above are and shall remain owned by the School Trust.  
**No improvements shall be placed on the land by Lessee without the prior written approval of the Board; and any improvements made by Lessee without the prior written approval of the Board shall be permanently owned exclusively by the Board.**

All monies received by the Board's agents will be deposited subject to approval of the lease by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. In the event a lease is not approved, the appropriate refunds will be issued.

All County Farm Service Agency information for the Board of Educational Lands and Funds is public information and is obtainable by contacting the local office.

Rental is subject to change by the Board semi-annually at any time during the term of the lease.

For further information contact:

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